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## WHEN A LAD MEETS A MAID

Old heads who forget that they were once young find much amusement in watching a young lad when he meets a maid on the street. We stood on a street corner the other day and watched an eminent citizen of mature years as he turned upon bashful and blushing youth.

No, we won't tell you of the amusing dignity and decorum of the lad and the maid, for we have been guilty of the same antics away back in days that will never come again. But it was amusing to our eminent citizen and we think he was quite as amusing to us. In fact, we are not through smiling yet—at the eminent one.

But the next time you are on the street and a lad and a maid meet face to face, and you suspect that there is a tender feeling between them, just remember the golden days of your own youth, and see not those things that you are not supposed to see.

Of times an innocent smile is a shaft that cuts deep.

There are about a thousand different kinds of mosquitoes, but we are not hankering after the job of determining which one bites the hardest. You can have it.

With the women in the British isles outnumbering the men by 2,100,000, what would you consider a fair market price for a husband?

There are times, forsooth, when the wisest thing we can say is to say nothing. And that, generally, is when we talk the loudest.

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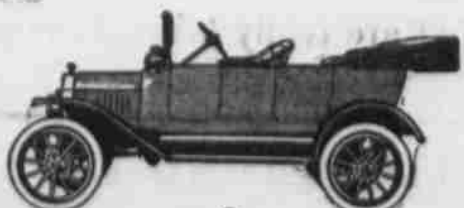
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## Correspondence

Mt. Gilead

Mrs. Frank Carpenter is able to be out again.

Miss Ella Follmer is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. P. R. Walker.

Several attended the convention given at the Mill Creek Church last Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Follmer and family of Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Prater and son, Charles Edward, spent last Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Albert Follmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dice spent from Saturday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herb Tucker of Hebron.

The many friends of Miss Maude Arnold are glad to know she is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Follmer spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Philter Walker and was accompanied home by their little granddaughter, Ella Ford.

Mr. Roscoe Follmer and True Berry were out motoring Sunday afternoon.

## Sardis

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Parker and son of Happy Ridge spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morris.

E. L. Mastin, wife and daughter, Ruby, and son, Leonard, motored to Germantown Sunday and attended decoration day.

Rev. W. H. Morris and father, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Parker motored to Germantown Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson and two children, Goldie and Ruth, Mrs. Lana Wilson and two children and S. J. Mastin were Sunday visitors of W. S. Mastin and family.

Dr. Mark Insko of Robertson county was called to see Mrs. Buckner one day last week.

Mrs. N. T. Buckner has a trained nurse from Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Ormes and son, Orville, spent Sunday with James Huff and family.

The Aid Society met with Mrs. Maud Wiggins Saturday afternoon.

Calma Case was visiting her relatives here the past week.

Little Imogene Wells is visiting her cousin, Margaret Howell.

## FOREIGN TRADE FOR APRIL

American exports in April reached a total of \$404,300,000 which is \$6,500,000 less than the record figure of March, but a million dollars more than the total for February. The Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce, however, estimates that the exports per working day in April were valued at \$16,200,000, exceeding the daily average for March by \$1,000,000. For the ten months ending with April American exports totaled \$3,401,100,000, an increase of \$1,175,300,000 over the like period of last year.

Imports for April amounted to \$217,800,000, or \$4,200,000 more than for March and exceeding by \$65,200,000 the April average for the preceding 5 years. Imports for the ten months period ending with April totaled \$1,722,400,000, an increase of \$348,200,000 over the corresponding period last year and unequaled by the corresponding period of any previous year.

The favorable trade balance for April was \$186,542,616, being over \$52,000,000 larger than that for April, 1915, and comparing with an import balance of \$11,209,544 in April, 1914. Then months to the end of April last gave a total excess of exports over imports of \$1,678,700,000, almost double the favorable balance of \$851,600,000 for a like period of a year earlier.

Of the April imports, 67.9 per cent entered free of duty, as against 63.6 per cent in April, 1915.

During April there was a net outward gold movement of \$5,400,000, compared with a net inward movement of \$15,400,000 in April, 1915. The ten months to April 30th this year, however, showed a net inward movement of \$273,900,000, as against a net outward gold movement of \$54,000,000 last year. The respective totals were: April imports of gold, \$6,100,000 in 1916, against \$16,200,000 in April, 1915; April exports of gold, \$11,500,000, against \$800,000 in April last year. Ten months' gold imports \$343,900,000 in 1916, against \$88,100,000 last year; ten months' gold exports, \$7,000,000 in 1916, compared with \$142,100,000 last year.

## AN UNUSUAL DESSERT

In the June Woman's Home Companion is the following recipe:

"Fruit gumbo: Wipe five pounds of plums, remove the stones, and cut the fruit in pieces. Chop two pounds of seeded raisins. Wipe three orange and cut in thin slices crosswise, removing the seeds. Put the prepared fruit in a preserve kettle and add five pounds of sugar. Bring to the boiling point and let simmer until of the consistency of a marmalade. Fill sterilized jelly glasses with mixture, cover and seal. Serve with unsweetened wafers for luncheon."

SAYS TOBACCO GROWERS  
LOST \$5,000,000.00

Tobacco Warehouse Company Attributes This Big Loss to Early Marketing

Weekly Market Report of the Louisville Tobacco Warehouse Company, Incorporated, Louisville, Ky., May 28th, 1916.

Continued small sales with prices gradually advancing may be taken as the summing up of the conditions on the Louisville market.

It is regrettable that the advance in prices for tobacco came after the great bulk of the crop had passed out of the hands of the growers. However, under the present system of marketing the greater part of the crop on the loose-leaf markets very early in the season, it can not be hoped that the growers generally will be benefited by any trade development or crop outlook that might enhance values. In other words, much the greater part of the crop now passes from the ownership of the producer into the hands of the manufacturers or dealers at a time when nothing is likely to occur either to stimulate or depress values. Furthermore, the very early marketing of the crop forces the manufacturers and dealers to accumulate their supplies far in advance of their needs, and this fact has the tendency to minimize the result of any later developments that may tend to enhance values, because large purchases early in the season obviates the necessity of later purchases. Therefore, the result of such occurrences as may warrant higher prices is held in check by finding the requirements of the trade already largely supplied at a time when the tobacco was crowded on the market in volume great enough to supply all demand without creating decided buying competition.

We have no thought that anything that might be said would have any influence in changing the present mode of marketing the tobacco crop, yet we think it in line with our vocation to chronicle the happenings in the tobacco

trade and comment thereon. We have, since the middle of February, seen a decided advance in values for tobacco, applicable to both Burley and Dark types.

## Loss of \$5,000,000.00

If one-half of the tobacco grown in this State in 1915 was now in the hands of the growers, we think it entirely conservative to estimate that the farmers of Kentucky would realize in the aggregate at least \$5,000,000 more than was realized by crowding the crop upon the early market, as was done.

This additional amount, which we estimate would have accrued to the benefit of the tobacco growers of our State by holding one-half of the crop off the market until after the 1st of May, is based upon the advance in prices which has occurred, and does not presume upon the much greater advance which might have been expected, had the conditions leading up to the present improvement found the purchasing element of the trade with its necessary requirements only half supplied, with the remainder to be secured at a time when competition is stimulated by recent occurrence and revised crop estimates.

At this date last year we reported that some progress had been made in transplanting the tobacco crop, but that only a very small proportion of the intended crop had reached the field. At this time in 1915 we were having heavy and frequent rains and the plants, which were generally backward, rapidly attained the proper size for transplanting, and by the end of the first week in June from fifty to sixty per cent of the crop had been set out. At the corresponding date in 1914 the tobacco territory was greatly in need of rain and but little progress had been made in transplanting the crop. This year May has not been characterized by either excessive rain or by prolonged want of rain, and the proportion of the crop now in the field is somewhat larger than it was at the corresponding date in 1915 or 1914, but both in 1913 and 1912 one-half of the crop had been transplanted by the 1st of June.

## THREE FORMER ATTEMPTS AT ASSASSINATION RECALLED

The attempt to assassinate Colonel Roosevelt at Kansas City recalls his narrow escape from death on October 14, 1912, when he was shot by Joseph Schrank, a crank, who followed him on his campaign trip.

The Colonel was leaving the Hotel Gilpatrick in Milwaukee to make a speech in the auditorium. He had reached his automobile and was climbing in when Schrank, only a few feet away in the crowd, fired. Before the assassin could shoot again the Colonel's stenographer, Elbert E. Martin, and Henry F. Cochems, Wisconsin Progressive and former football player, pounced upon him.

Colonel Roosevelt, believing at the moment that he was not much hurt, ordered the chauffeur to drive on to the auditorium. There he drew his cold typewritten speech from his pocket and saw that it was stained with blood. Waving the speech so that the bullet holes could be seen he shouted: "You see it takes more than that to kill a Bull Moose." He went and finished the speech and then rushed to Mercy Hospital in Chicago.

Before this attempt the Colonel had carried a revolver for years because of many threats against his life. In September, 1903, a farmer of Syosset, L. I., insanely believing he had been ruined by President Roosevelt's labor policies, got within a stone's throw of Sagamore Hill with a loaded revolver. Secret Service men grabbed him while the President stood on the porch of his home looking on.

The man's name was Henry W. Wellbrenner. Another attempt at assassination occurred in Colorado in 1900.

## WANTS MAN TO SERVE IN HIS PLACE

New York, N. Y., May 31—Himself too old to join the colors, and firm in the belief that his beloved country is threatened with real danger, an aged but wealthy fruit grower of Eastern, Pa., who served as a private of Marines under Farragut during the Civil War, is today tottering along the streets of New York in quest of a substitute to whom he is willing to pay a large bounty to take his place in the ranks of the present day Marine Corps.

The white haired old warrior, who refused to divulge his name, stated it is his belief that every patriotic man of means, too old to serve himself, should find a substitute.

"I'll get a man to serve in my place if I have to pay him a thousand dollars," he told Captain Frank E. Evans, in charge of the local Marine Corps recruiting station. "Uncle Sam needs able-bodied men these days—not to march in preparedness solely. I think every patriotic citizen should aid in getting men to enlist. I served actively in the long ago, but now I must do the next best thing and find a man to join the ranks in my stead."

The Easton veteran refused the aid of regular Marine Corps recruiters in his quest of a substitute the desire to "go it alone on his own account."

Fifth breeds flies—flies carry fever.

## INGENIOUS PLOT TO SLAY ROCKEFELLER

New York, May 31—Carrying a leather bag filled with stones, Saerbes R. Fowdrbes, a wood carver of Yonkers, N. Y., stopped in front of the home of William K. Vanderbilt in Fifth Avenue today and began to hurl stones through the windows. The police said Fowdrbes declared he believed he was avenging the slayings of the poor. The policeman who made the arrest said Fowdrbes admitted that he and a friend had plotted to kill "Mr. Rockefeller" and that his assistant had promised to meet him in front of the supposed Rockefeller home. Afterward Fowdrbes said that Mr. Rockefeller would come to the door when the stones were thrown through windows, whereupon the other man was to shoot him. The alleged accomplices failed to appear and Fowdrbes said he became impatient and decided to wreck the house.

## HELP FOR WORKING WOMEN

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